

**NORTH PROVIDENCE TOWN COUNCIL
NORTH PROVIDENCE TOWN HALL
TOWN COUNCIL CHAMBERS
2000 SMITH STREET
NORTH PROVIDENCE, RI 02911**

**REGULAR MEETING April 5, 2011
7:30 p.m.**

MEMBERS PRESENT:

- **CALL TO ORDER**
- **SALUTE TO FLAG (PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE)**
- **MOMENT OF SILENCE**

**1) ACCEPTANCE OF
FEBRUARY MEETING**

**TRANSCRIPTS: Transcripts of February Regular Meeting to be
accepted/approved by the Town Council.**

2) LIQUOR LICENSE

TRANSFER: Received application for a transfer of a Class BV Liquor License.

Said application was advertised in the Providence Journal on March 11 and 18, 2011 for hearing on this date.

FROM: TO:

Hegarty's Pub, Inc. Rare Burger Bar, LLC

d/b/a Hegarty's Pub d/b/a Rare Burger Bar d/b/a Mozzarella's Grill & Bar

2197 Mineral Spring Avenue 2197 Mineral Spring Avenue

North Providence, RI North Providence, RI

3) ENTERTAINMENT

LICENSE: Received application for an Entertainment License from Rare Burger Bar, LLC. d/b/a Rare Burger Bar located @ 2197 Mineral Spring Avenue.

4) VICTUALLING

LICENSE: Received application for a Victualling license from Rare Burger Bar, LLC. d/b/a Rare Burger Bar @ 2197 Mineral Spring Avenue.

5) FARMER'S MARKET: Mayor Lombardi wishes to address the council for the purpose of discussion concerning establishing a farmer's market, including locally grown goods, at Governor Notte Park.

6) FIRE CHIEF SALARY &

RAISE: Council President Catanzaro wishes discussion concerning the Fire Chief's salary and raise.

7) ROSEWOOD CONSULTING

COMPANY: Council President Catanzaro wishes discussion concerning follow up to a letter sent on March 10, 2011 to Lisa Andoscia of Rosewood Consulting Company.

8) TRADE NAME LETTER: Council President Catanzaro wishes discussion on reviewing a trade name letter to be sent out to local businesses that are in violation of R.I.G.L. Section 45-2-31.

9) RESOLUTION 11-007: Council President Catanzaro wishes support of Resolution 11-007 amending R.I.G.L. Section 31-3.1-4.

10) CDBG FUNDS: Council President Catanzaro wishes discussion concerning a new procedure to administer the CDBG funds.

11) INAUGURATION BILLS: Council President Catanzaro wishes discussion for approval for Inauguration Bills under \$500.00.

12) AREMENIAN

GENOCIDE DAY: Councilman Autiello wishes discussion concerning a resolution commemorating Armenian Genocide Day.

13) ENVIRONMENTAL CONCERN

ON MINERAL SPRING AVE.: Councilwoman Brady requests discussion of the progress of actions taken by NBC, RIDEM and NPDPW originating from the request of business owners.

14) DOUGLAS MANOR: Councilwoman Brady requests discussion

concerning the meeting with RIDOT held on March 23, 2011 to address safety concerns of Douglas Manor residents when crossing Douglas Avenue.

15) EARLY RETIREE

REINSURANCE PROGRAM: Councilwoman Brady requests discussion on the progress of the application for this cost saving program.

16) MEDIA AD HOC

COMMITTEE: Councilwoman Brady requests discussion concerning the recommendations of the Media Ad Hoc Committee meeting held March 22, 2011.

17) ORDINANCE INTRODUCTION: Councilman Giammarco requests introduction of Ordinance #11-005 concerning the Juvenile Hearing Board.

**18) ORDINANCE INTRODUCTION: Introduction of Ordinance #11-004 concerning “No
Parking” on Longue View Avenue.**

19) FLUSHING VALVES &

HYDRANTS: Received communication from Glenn Corrente to inform the council that for the next four to eight weeks Providence Water will be in the town exercising and flushing Valves and Hydrants.

20) CHUBBY'S BAR

AND GRILL: Received letter from Raymond Fisher of Chubby's Bar and Grill for permission to hold an outside event on June 25, 2011, to commemorate the 2nd anniversary of the opening of Chubby's and to raise money to benefit Tri-Town Youth Sports Association, formerly the North Providence Boys Club. (PLEASE SEE LETTERS ENCLOSED FROM SENIOR CENTER AND FIRE DEPARTMENT).

21) RESIDENT PARKING

REQUEST ON KENNEDY

DRIVE: Received a request from Derrick Steel concerning discussion on resident parking at 17 Kennedy Drive.

22) F & L LEGACY

BOATING, LLC. : Received a communication from Brian Lally and Gian-Mikel Facenda of F & L Legacy Boating, LLC. to address the council on a proposal to the town for paddleboats at Notte Park. (Enclosed also is a letter of support on this issue from Mayor Lombardi)

23) BOARDS AND

COMMISSIONS:

Four appointments to be made to the Board of Tax Review.

(PLEASE FIND A RESIGNATION LETTER FROM ANTHONY DIGIULIO AND A LETTER FROM THE REPUBLICAN PARTY CONCERNING THE MINORITY ALTERNATE APPOINTMENT).

24) CONSTABLE LICENSE: Received application for a Constable License from Lawrence M. DeMeo of 60 Douglas Terrace.

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25) AMUSEMENT DEVICE

LICENSE: Received application from Pure Restaurant & Lounge for an Amusement Device License. (PLEASE SEE LETTER ENCLOSED FROM STEPHEN POLSELLI)

26) COIN OPERATED POOL

TABLES: Received application from Pure Restaurant & Lounge for A Coin Operated Pool Table. (PLEASE SEE LETTER ENCLOSED FROM STEPHEN POLSELLI)

27) VICTUALLING LICENSE: Received application for Victualling License from Riad Bouzan d/b/a Northside Pockets at 1394 Douglas Avenue.

28) FLOWER SALES LICENSES: Received application from Andrew J. Matteo d/b/a A.J.'s Wholesale Flowers and Trees to sell flowers on the weekends of Easter (April 22, 23 & 24) and Mothers Day (May 6, 7 & 8) at Sak's Creamery located at 1005 Mineral Spring Avenue.

29) CLAIMS: Received claims from the following:

Diana Ostiguy Matthew & Amanda Martel James J. Pezza
1560 Douglas Ave. 100 Jacksonia Drive 58 Eddy Street
Providence, RI North Providence, RI North Providence, RI

Gordon Farrell Michele Lavassaur, by

by

P.O. Box 375 Atty. Jennifer Sylvia

Santopietro

Barrington, RI 544 Douglas Avenue

Anthony Cipriano,

Atty. George

226 South Main

Street

Providence, RI

Providence, RI

Ken Voller Leisha Torres

Mark Orvis

16 Humbert Street 26 Langsberries Avenue

3N Howard

Ave.-Unit 9

North Providence, RI North Providence, RI

North

Providence, RI

Robert Franchetti, by Atty. Jennifer

Sylvia

c/o Rob Levine & Associates

544 Douglas Avenue

Providence, RI

30) JOINT POLE LOCATION: Received a petition from Verizon New England and Narragansett Electric Company to place a new joint pole location on Spicer Street.

31) RESOLUTIONS: Received Resolutions from the Towns of Jamestown and Glocester.

32) GENERAL TREASURERS

REPORT: Received General Treasurers Report for the period from July 1, 2010 through February 28, 2011 for the Town of North Providence.

33) FINANCECOMMITTEE

REPORTS: Councilman Lynch to present the Finance Committee Reports from meetings of March 9, 2011, March 28, 2011 and possibly April 5, 2011.

34) TAX ABATEMENTS: Received list of Tax Abatements over \$1,000.00

(OVER \$1,000) from the Tax Assessor and or Board of Tax Review in the amount of \$6,097.40 for Real Estate and \$14,686.28 for Tangibles.

35) TAX ABATEMENTS: Received list of Tax Abatements under \$1,000.00

(UNDER \$1,000) from the Tax Assessor and or Board of Tax Review in the amount of \$158.72 for Real Estate and \$2,228.83 for Motor Vehicles.

36) TAX ADDENDAS: Received list of Tax Addenda from the Tax Assessor in the amount of \$5,478.10 for Real Estate and \$1,223.60 for Motor Vehicles.

37) ORDINANCE COMMITTEE

REPORT: Councilman Giammarco to present the Ordinance Committee Report from meeting of April 5, 2011.